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The following reports on Klaipeda

SubjectDate

An old, destroyer.

In the woods north of the entrance to Klaipeda were several camouflaged cars and a large trailer with a mast, topped with an egg-shaped object, in the center of which was something like a window. Practice area between Liepaja and Klaipeda. Sighting of several objects resembling mines, lying awash on the beach.

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1. NAVAL.

[redacted] an old destroyer was lying in KLAIPEDA. The vessel was similar to the American destroyer delivered to USSR during the last war.

2. MILITARY.

In the woods just north of the entrance to KLAIPEDA several camouflaged cars and a large trailer with a mast, were standing. At the top of the mast was an egg-shaped object or flattened ball with something like a window. [See sketch] See sketch.

3. MINE FIELDS.

Marked on a map [redacted] was a practice-area between LIBAU and KLAIPEDA. There were altogether 6 given positions and the inner boundary lay 12 n. miles from the coast. [redacted] IT WAS most wrecks were no longer marked on the map.

4. NAVIGATION.

About 2 n. miles from land on the south side of the entrance to KLAIPEDA several objects were lying awash that looked like mines.

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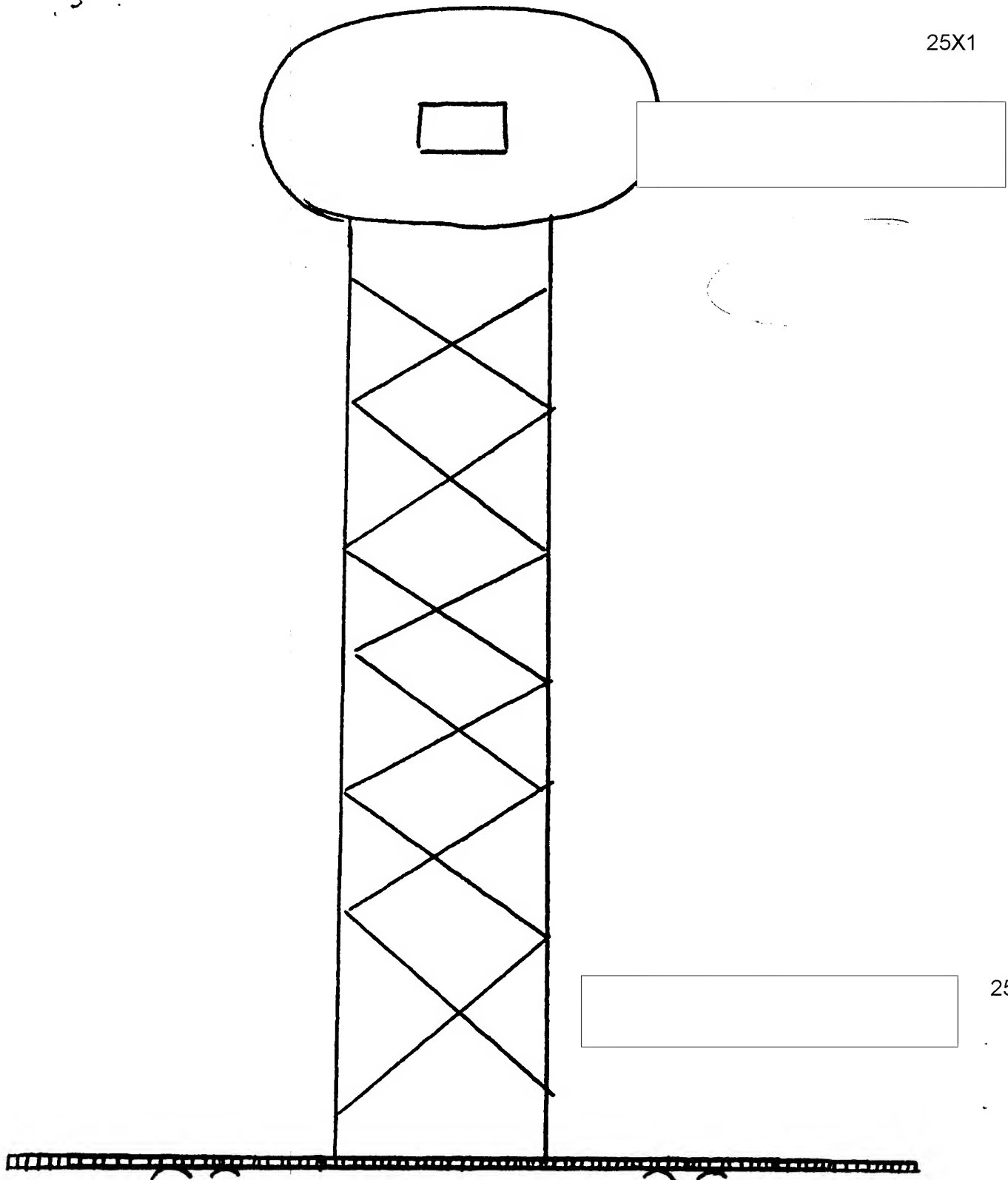
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Vessels were seen in several places in the area
declared to be minefields.

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